

PARENT CARER BULLETIN

Week Commencing 11 May 2026



School Production Success

Cast and crew celebrate Back to the 80s showings: Last week, our much-anticipated school production finally took to the stage, beginning with a matinee for Year 5 and 6 pupils from Clare Community Primary School, followed by three evening performances. We would like to thank all the families and friends who joined us on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday; the performers were delighted by the enthusiasm and wonderful atmosphere throughout.

Miss Wright, Mrs Hutchinson and Mr Craig dedicated a great deal of time and effort to working with the cast and crew, and we warmly congratulate them on such a successful show. Throughout the process, students demonstrated kindness, bravery, ambition and collaboration, representing the school superbly.



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Year 7 Parents and Carers Evening

Bookings now available via EduLink:

We are pleased to confirm that appointments are now available for booking for Year 7 Parents and Carers Evening (Thursday 21 May, 4–7pm).

Parent Teacher and Friends Association

Working together to enrich school life for every child:

Our school and Governors would like to set up a Parent Teacher and Friends Association, as a friendly community group, working towards enhancing our children's educational environment and access to the many curricular and extra-curricular activities we have always been proud to offer.

If you are interested in being part of our group, we are looking forward to hearing from you. Please contact Mrs Brown at: abrown@stourvalley.org.



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Futures Update

Weeks 5-6 now available for review:

Our FUTURES curriculum. Whilst robustly upholding our school values, looks to help students unlock and develop their inherent talents, but also supports them to reach and aspire towards their goals. It is designed to help them understand the world as it is now, but also to prepare them for what it might become. Information regarding summer term week 5-6 sessions is now live via our website:

[Futures weeks 5-6](#)



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Events this May

Keep track of important events this month:

- Monday 11 May – Religious Studies House Competition (week 1 of 2).
- Thursday 14 May – Year 7 Bikeability session 2, 8:50am–12:15pm.
- Friday 15 May – Year 7 Bikeability session 3, 8:50am–12:15pm.
- Monday 18 May – Religious Studies House Competition (week 2 of 2).
- Wednesday 20 May – Year 10 Photography trip to Old Felixtowe, 8:30am–3pm.
- Thursday 21 May – Year 7 Parents and Carers Evening, 4–7pm.
- Thursday 21 May – English reward trip – Cambridge Literary Festival.
- Friday 22 May – Year 7 Bikeability session 4, 8:50am–12:15pm.
- Friday 22 May – Final full school day before the half term break. *Students return Monday 1 June.*

Summer Term Dates

This season's term dates at a glance:

- 13 April 2026 – Summer Term starts.
- 25 –29 May 2026 – Half Term.
- 26 June 2026 – Non-pupil Day.
- 17 July 2026 – Summer Term ends (closure at the earlier time of 12pm).



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Event Details

Date: Tuesday 19th May

Time: 5:30–7pm

Location:

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